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REPLY TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the Election of Species Requirement dated May 18, 2007, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Remarks being on page 2 of this paper.